

HOT SKIRMISH.

The Americans and Spaniards are Fighting Fiercely Around Santiago.

Roosevelt's Cavalry In the Thick of the Fray--The American Loss 17 Killed and 43 Wounded--Final Attack Expected on Santiago To-day.

Playa Del Esta, June 25.—(Special).—Gen. Shafter personally complimented Roosevelt's Rough Riders and the First and Tenth cavalry for their bravery yesterday. Later reports show that 17 Americans were killed and 43 wounded, some of them mortally.

The following Americans wounded in yesterday's battle have since died and are included in the number of the killed mentioned above: James Crews, private; Edward Culver, private; Harry Heffner, private; also Capt. Luna, of the Cuban army.

The Spaniards opened fire from the thick brush and had every advantage of numbers and position, but the troops drove them back from the start, stormed the block-house, around which they made the final stand, and sent them scattering over the mountains.

Clearing the Way for Victory.

Chicago, June 25.—(Special).—A special to the News says Lawton's advance guard is marching to Castilla, four miles from Santiago, to-day. Gen. Linares is entrenched there. A battle is expected soon. Sampson has moved his ships to a position to co-operate with the land forces by a great final attack on Santiago's defenses. Sampson will continue firing to-day until every fort on the coast has been destroyed or surrendered.

Americans captured everything within a mile of Castilla. The Spaniards burned blockhouses as they retreated.

Another dispatch to the News says Shafter has cleared the way to the heights surrounding Santiago.

The assault will probably be made to-day.

Five thousand Cubans have landed at Altagracia, brought around the bay on transports.

Shafter's Official Report.

Washington, June 25.—(Special).—Official report from Gen. Shafter and further news from Gen. Wheeler received at the War Department, place our loss at 10 killed and 40 wounded. Capt. Wainwright reported injured, is unhurt.

The Spaniards occupied a very strong entrenched position on a high hill. The firing lasted about an hour. The enemy was driven from his position which is now occupied by our troops, about a mile and a half from Savilla. The enemy retired towards Santiago.

Sampson Demands Santiago's Surrender.

Chicago, June 25.—(Special).—The Chicago Record's special off Santiago says:

"Sampson on Thursday demanded the surrender of the city of Santiago. Admiral Cervera and Gen. Linares refused to consider the matter."

A captured Spaniard brought to Gen. Lawton's headquarters had in his possession messages to the Spanish commanders to fall back to Santiago and not risk a battle until the city was attacked.

Spanish Cabinet Discusses Matters.

Madrid, June 24.—(Special).—The Cabinet to-day discussed the war program and the expected Ministerial crisis. The Reconnominational Society of Barcelona will ask the government to begin arrangements looking to peace.

A dispatch from Havana says the Spanish engaged the insurgents in Santa Clara province. A Spanish lieutenant and nine privates were wounded. Three insurgents were killed.

Calls Spain a Corpse.

Berlin, June 25.—(Special).—A member of the German Cabinet in conversation said: "Germany is not in the habit of eulogizing the cause of a corpse. All the world knows Spain is a corpse."

A British Battleship at Lisbon.

London, June 24.—(Special).—The British battleship Illustrious for Lisbon this morning to protect British interest on the Spanish

coast in the event there are hostilities there.

Brig Caught Trying to Leave Havana.

Key West, June 25.—(Special).—The brig Annapola was brought in to-day by a prize crew. She was captured by the blockading squadron with ten passengers and crew aboard as prisoners. The vessel was bound from Havana to Vera Cruz with provisions.

Sampson Takes Back the Charge.

Washington, June 25.—(Special).—Sampson has wired the Navy Department withdrawing the charge of the mutilation of the marines killed at Guantanamo.

Madrid Has Heard the News.

Madrid, June 25.—(Special).—It is rumored that the government has received a long dispatch announcing that fighting is in progress on land and sea.

There are renewed rumors of peace here.

French Ministers Hard to Find.

Paris, June 25.—(Special).—M. Peytral has failed in the effort to form a ministry. This makes four men who have failed since M. Meilne's ministry resigned.

Miles Has His Ear to the Ground.

Washington, June 25.—(Special).—Gen Miles believes that the final assault on Santiago will begin to-day and continue till the surrender of the city and its occupation by the Americans.

CUBAN VICTORY.

Native Troops Have a Hot Brush With Spaniards.

A Loss of Nearly Fifty, But the Battle a Spanish Rout.

Playa Del Esta, June 25.—(Special).—Gen. Castillo with 2,000 Cubans reports that he defeated a large body of Spaniards at Guisima with heavy losses. The Cuban loss was under fifty. They captured two trains of food and 100 tons of coal. Gen. Garcia with reinforcements is expected shortly.

Shells Burst on the Texas.

Santiago, Cuba, via Port Antonio, Jamaica.—One man was killed and eight wounded about the Texas.

The battleship at the time of the landing of the troops went to Matanzas to make a feint attack upon the fortifications there in connection with a land force of Cubans under Gen. Rabi.

The Texas silenced the Socapa batteries. Just as the action ended a shell entered the battleship and exploded with the result given above.

The dead:

F. R. Blakely, of Newport, R. I.

an apprentice of the first class.

The wounded:

R. C. Engle, seaman, of New York.

H. A. Gee, apprentice, of Philadelphia.

J. E. Lively, landsman, of Norfolk, Va.

C. F. Mullen, apprentice, of New York.

J. F. Nelson, apprentice, of New York.

R. Russell, apprentice, of Philadelphia.

W. J. Simonson, seaman, of New York.

A Stogvist, seaman, of New York.

Russell is very seriously wounded. The others will all recover.

A New Gasoline Engine.

A Huber Traction Portable Gasoline engine, the first of the kind ever seen in this country, was given an exhibition on the streets yesterday afternoon, having been sold to Forbes & Bro.

Mr. James M. Green, representing the Huber Company, and Mr. H. A. Williams, representing Forbes & Bro., were in charge of the exhibition. After traversing several of the streets, the engine was taken to the country and will be used in the harvest field to run a threshing. It is run by gasoline and there is no coal or water and boiler to look after and no belt necessary. It is the latest thing out in harvest machinery.

Mr. Max J. Mouyon has returned from Louisville.

BLOOD FLOWS.

A Fierce Fight in Which Teddy Roosevelt Takes Part.

The American Loss Thirteen Killed and Fifty Wounded—Spanish Defeated.

Guantanamo Bay, June 24, 8 p. m.—This morning (Friday) four troops of the First cavalry, four troops of the Tenth cavalry and eight troops of Roosevelt's rough riders, less than a thousand men in all, dismounted and attacked 2,000 Spanish soldiers in the thickest within five miles of Santiago de Cuba.

The Americans beat the enemy back into the city, but they left the following dead upon the field:

Rough Riders.

Capt. Allyn K. Capron, of Troop L.

Sergt. Hamilton Fish, Jr.

Private Tilmann, of Troop L.

Private Dawson, of Troop L.

Private Dougherty, of Troop A.

Private W. T. Erwin, of Troop F.

Private Dix.

Private York.

Private Kolbe.

Private Berlin.

Private Lennox.

Tenth Cavalry.

Corporal White.

At least fifty Americans were wounded, including six officers.

It is probably that at least ten of the wounded will die.

Twelve dead Spaniards were found in the bush after the fight, but their loss was doubtless far in excess of that.

Gen. Young commanded the expedition and was with the regulars, while Col. Wood directed the operations of the Rough Riders, several miles west.

Both parties struck the Spaniards about the same time and the fight lasted about an hour.

Two Colored Soldiers Drowned.

Corporal Edward Cobb, of Richmond, Va., and Private John English, of Chattanooga, of the Tenth United States cavalry, colored, were drowned on Wednesday evening by the capsizing of a boat.

Capt. W. G. O'Neill, of the Roosevelt rough-riders, made a gallant but ineffectual attempt to rescue them. Their bodies were recovered.

The Sick List.

The following is the sick list of the Third regiment, all of whom are confined in the division hospital at Chickamauga:

Company A—Jeff Jennings, Miles B. Ramsie, Thos. Hankins, E. Iglehart, James Taylor, Cecil Shacklett, Silas Loran, A. J. Favors, Corporal Tutt.

Company C—John Hurst, Cooper Huff.

Company E—J. E. Buchanan.

Company F—Corporal W. F. Grady.

Company G—Corporal Stout, Wm. Lodge.

Company I—T. Z. Grimes.

Company L—James Crawford, Patrick Fitzsimmons.

No one of the sick is in a serious condition and the regiment is to be congratulated, as the Second Wisconsin, quartered next to it, has lost three men since arriving there.

Lieut. Col. Henry is commander in charge of the Third Kentucky during the absence of Col. T. J. Smith as Brigade Commander.

Diplomats Depressed.

London, June 25.—(Special).—The Standard says the news of Gen. Shafter's landing depressed the diplomatic circles.

Will Invest in Bonds.

Evergreen Lodge, No. 38, Knights of Pythias, at its regular meeting this week, instructed the Trustees to invest \$500 of the lodge's surplus funds in the new Government bonds.

THE CUT CABLE.

Still Working Between Cuba and Madrid.

Blanco Reports a Battle and Says the Americans Ran and Left Their Ammunition.

Madrid, June 25.—(Special).—Gen. Blanco cables that the Americans attacked the outposts of Sibony and Saville. Three Spaniards were killed and three wounded.

They also attacked Gen. Rubon's force, but were repulsed and pursued by the Spaniards. The latter captured ammunition and stores.

Casela was bombarded by the Americans yesterday.

Chance for Boys and Girls.

Mr. T. G. Roach, traveling agent for the Kentucky State College, is in the city in the interest of the A. & M. College. On account of vacancies, Christian county this year is entitled to make eight appointments of either sex to this institution—four to the college proper, four years, and four to the Normal department, one year. Appointees receive free tuition, room rent, fuel and lights, traveling expenses to and from college, and choice of ten courses of study.

Appointments are made by the County Superintendent and on competitive examination. See Miss Katie McDaniel for particulars.

Pegram's Home in Texas.

Yesterday the Inquirer printed an account of the arrival of a strange man and woman at Hopkinsville, who refused to give their names, the man being very ill. It turns out that it was Will Pegram, formerly of this place, but who has lived in Texas for a number of years. Recently he had been in poor health and he and his wife started to this city. His mind had been unbalanced for some time, and when Hopkinsville was reached he could go no further. He was accordingly taken off and at once taken to the asylum, where he had been a patient before.

Fight Expected To-day.

Barbourville, Ky., June 24.—The trial of the Bakers was to-day postponed until to-morrow on account of absence of important witnesses.

Additions to the forces on each side of the feud are hourly arriving and each still holds the respective hotel in which it is quartered practically as a fort.

It is not believed that any power can prevent a fight of the two factions.

ALL FOR ALLEN.

Quiet Convention, but All for the Union Candidate.

The conventions this afternoon were very quiet and thinly attended. In all of the city precincts the delegates were instructed for Allen and the same was no doubt done all over the county. Allen will get the county without a dissenting vote.

Circuit Court Matters.

Very little business of importance was transacted in the circuit court to-day.

In the suit of James D. Underwood against Martha P. Pinner's administrators, the jury returned a verdict for plaintiff \$775.63.

The Lucas damage suit has been continued until the September term, on motion of defendant.

Charged With Stealing Clothing.

Sophia Thompson, col., was arrested this morning on a warrant charging her with stealing clothing. She was brought before Judge Chandler, who set Tuesday next for the examining trial. The woman was permitted to go on her own recognizance.

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The Spanish Crisis adjourned Friday in a great amount of character by many sensational utterances and incidents.

Gen. Gomez seems to have been lost sight of as the Cuban leader. Gen. Garcia is the ablest of the patriot generals.

Signor Pando is the latest husband of Mrs. M. L. Leonard. Leonard-Braham-Schmitt-Charlton-Pando, better known as Lillian Russell, is the actress for a divorce in a New York court. He alleges desertion.

Gen. Aguirre is to be sent to Cuba with the Cuban army, as was arranged. It can be made for the transportation of passengers both ways, without much trouble, cannot travel.

The very best of the performance of the Cuban army was shown to land at Manila. There was no trouble in the Cuban army. The officers and men were all well.

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Admiral Cervera has been carried toward the South Coast, as a 7,200-ton ironclad battleship, something like the Spanish. The soldiers and sailors are allowed to fight the war in their own way. Cervera will be the war when he gets to the Philippines.

It was real meat of the New York Herald correspondent to report in his paper that John Marshall, correspondent of the Herald, was wounded in the back during the fight at Santiago Friday. Underneath the brief statement there appears to be concealed an inference.

It is said Admiral Cervera was so impressed with the bravery of Hobson and his men that he asked every one of them when they were brought into his presence. The boys would be appreciated as competent men, perhaps. If the Spanish Admiral had delegated this little act of courtesy to a committee of young and pretty women.

Two signatures of President McKinley have been used as private in the volunteer army. They are John Dewart Barker and James Foster McKinley, both of whom have been private in the White House for some time. President McKinley was urged by some of his friends to commission them as Second Lieutenants, but the President declined. The thing that would have been a great honor to them.

It is said that the Spanish army is now in the hands of the Cuban army. The Spanish army is now in the hands of the Cuban army. The Spanish army is now in the hands of the Cuban army.

Opposition to the annexation of territory is a strong feeling of the democratic party. In fact, all of the territory added to the United States has been under democratic administration, excepting in the case of Alaska. The following list speaks for itself, showing territory annexed and time of the President annexing it.

Name	Sq. Miles	Pres.
Louisiana	1,171,631	Jefferson
Florida	59,284	Monroe
Mexican Cession	576,833	Polk
Gadsden purchase	45,335	Pierce
Alaska	577,390	Johnson
Total	2,876,049	

FIRE AT RANDOM.

CHICAGO RETURN.

History seems to have a partiality for battles of the name of Merrimac.

What a dolly old battle-bus, studied and polished of returns. Blanco would make.

Gen. Blanco continues to kill about 100 Americans a day by cannon and 1000 by bullet.

Gen. Cervera wants a good show. He ought to go looking for it in the expedition town of Omaha.

In the eyes of the surgeon-general the American people are more to be feared than the Spanish shell or bomb.

Capt. Alvin C. Anderson might be expected to bring a large amount of a hole and gurgling smiling just about now.

His venture into the business of wearing a bicycle tube has given Commander Hovey an attack of lined feeling.

It is with some degree of disgust that the army of invasion discovers that Cuba is indeed an island subject.

The long and short of it is that Gen. Aguirre is behaving with all the instincts of a dead game sport.

Prof. Algehd denies that he is going to join the navy for the purpose of teaching the young idea how to shoot.

It is altogether too early for the cablegramers to ask us to get rattled over another mysterious Spanish fleet.

It is noticeable that the Texas is doing just as good work in this campaign as the boats which are not ambitious.

Congress is fairly busy with war matters, but doubtless the Hawaiian annexation business can be sandwiched in somehow.

It is to be hoped that Roosevelt's rough riders will have a chance to live up to their expectation and their alteration.

Many Chicago people believe that the Great Powers is the gentleman who is doing such funny things over at Hovey's theater this week.

It will be of cheering influence to Gen. Aguirre of Manila we will willingly attest to the fact that he has done his level best.

Among the other interesting events of the last week was the discovery by Mr. Debs that the time is ripe for him to go back to firing.

If Gen. Aguirre were a prize fighter instead of a gun fighter he would be likely to want to shake hands with great cordiality before every round.

Gen. Bryan will not need to be reminded to remember the blame. He could better forget the name of a woman associated with his political life.

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BASEBALL.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES:
Philadelphia 3, Louisville 1.
Chicago 8, Brooklyn 4.
Washington 10, Cincinnati 8.
Baltimore 4, St. Louis 2.
New York 11, Cleveland 4.
Pittsburgh 3, Boston 2.

BOW TIE STADIUM.

Clubs	W.	L.	P.C.
Cincinnati	39	29	.573
Boston	35	21	.625
Cleveland	33	22	.600
Baltimore	30	22	.565
Chicago	32	25	.562
Pittsburgh	31	25	.554
New York	28	27	.509
Philadelphia	24	28	.461
Brooklyn	22	31	.415
Washington	21	36	.368
St. Louis	20	36	.357
Louisville	19	40	.322

SCHEDULE FOR TO-DAY:
Philadelphia at Louisville.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Washington at Cincinnati.
Baltimore at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Pittsburgh.

RESULTS OF OTHER GAMES:
Manfield 9, New Castle 8.
Toledo 4, Youngstown 3.
Indianapolis 7, Milwaukee 1.
Columbus 6, Detroit 1.
Kansas City 9, St. Paul 2.
Omaha 4, Minneapolis 0.
Grand Rapids 11, Springfield 4.
Dayton 15, Fort Wayne 14.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

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Chicago Market To-Day.	Op'g	H'g't	Closing
Cash Wheat			89
July Wheat	72 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2
Sept. Wheat	67 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2
July Corn	32 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2
Sept. Corn	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Sept. Oats	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Sept. Pork	9 65	9 72	9 70
Sept. Lard	5 75	5 75	5 70
Sept. Ribs	5 52	5 52	5 47
Sept. wheat, puts 65 1/2			67 1/2

New York Stock and Cotton.

	Op'g	H'g't	Closing
Aug. Cotton	6 16	6 17	6 17
A'm. Tob.	1 17 1/2	1 19	1 18 1/2
Chicago Gas	95 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
C. B. & O.	1 05 1/2	1 05 1/2	1 05 1/2
L. & N.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Manhattan	1 03 1/2	1 03 1/2	1 03 1/2
Sugar	1 30 1/2	1 30 1/2	1 30 1/2
Coal & Iron	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2

Chicago Receipts To-Day.

Hogs	19,000
Cattle	30 Head
Hog Market	19,000
Light	370
Mixed	392
Rough	380
Heavy	395

Hopkinsville Produce Market.

Cash prices paid by Hopkinsville merchants:

Ham—country	8@10c
Shoulders	4@5c
Sides	6@7c
Lard	6@7c

Country Produce—

Butter	16@17c
Eggs	8c
New Zealand	25@30c
Brown	18@21c
Tallow	21c
Glue	22@23c
Honey	10c
Tobacco	25c
Ground	12@13c

Poultry—
Y. chickens, per lb. 8c
Roasters 2c

Grain—
Oats, per bushel 75c
Corn 75c
Clover seed 50c

Live Stock—

Hogs	33@35
Sheep	32.50@35.00
Cattle	22.50@24
Calf	23.50@24

Hides and Furs—

Green hides	6@7c
Green stained hides	7@8c
Vegetables	1@12c

New potatoes, per bushel 60c

Cabbage, per head 20c

Watermelons—
Florida 35@50c

Flour, Retail—
Patent, per bushel 85.75

Standard, per bushel 85.50

Hay—
Clover, per ton 55c
Good Timothy 70c

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Scriven's Elastic Drawers, sold at \$1.00, Our Price	65c
Children's Shoes and slippers, sold at \$1.00, Our Price	50c
Children's Shoes and Slippers, sold at \$1.25, Our Price	65c
Children's Shoes and Slippers, sold at \$1.50, Our Price	75c
Ladies' \$1.50 Kid Shoes, lace and button, all toes and sizes, Our Price	99c
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Our Leading Brands of \$3.00 Shoes, all styles, Our Price	\$2.25

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TRAINS SOUTH.

No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 6:15 a. m.

No. 56—St. Louis Ac. 6:00 a. m.

No. 51—East Mnd. 5:15 p. m.

No. 45—East Mnd. 11:15 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

No. 92—Chicago Limited 9:30 a. m.

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Endeavor Meeting To-Morrow.

Everybody should attend the Christian Endeavor Convention to-morrow evening at the Christian church at 8 o'clock. This will probably be the last convention meeting before the assembling of the thousands of young people in Nashville on the 6th of July. Good music, attractive speeches and much information and enthusiasm will be the order of the evening. Many people will attend who are especially interested in Endeavor work or in the convention, but the object of this service is to arouse interest and enthusiasm with reference to the convention in particular and we predict that its aim will be attained. Indications even now, point to large a delegation from this place, and many names will doubtless be added to the list to-morrow night. This meeting will be in the place of the evening service at the four Endeavor churches. Two facts are to be impressed upon the minds of the people. One is, that the convention is something of great importance—it is the biggest gathering of any kind ever held in the South. The other is that cheap railroad and hotel rates are not confined to Endeavors alone, but their friends will be cordially welcome to go with them. The local Endeavors are anxious to give the general public an idea of the greatness of the conventions which they have been going so far to attend. The man in the one fare party for round trip to Nashville will be on sale at this place and points between here and Nashville, on July 15th to 11th, good returning till July 15th, with no extension allowed. The information given out prior to this was incorrect. Tickets sold North of here will be good till July 31st.

John Hendrick's Pigeons.

Ex-Congressman Jno. K. Hendrick has his law office at Paducah, but his family resides at Smithland. He has four carrier pigeons named Fitzhugh Lee, Dewey, Sampson and Schley and he uses these pigeons to carry letters to and from his family. Fitzhugh Lee makes the best time.—Hickman Courier.

It did not take the Americans long to run up against some sure enough fighting after they landed. Already about twenty have been killed and twice as many wounded. We will finally whip the Spaniards, but it will be done with the loss of a good many lives.

Of course there cannot possibly be anything worse than a Spanish spy, but the railroad manager who puts into the suburban service a lot of newly painted coaches with windows which cannot be raised on a hot day runs the supreme offender a close finish.

One of the touching spectacles of the present time is the sight of Henry L. Hertz leaping eight feet into the air in order to be among the first to move the unanimous re-nomination of the Congressman Foss, the man whom he has always loved.

Mr. Martin B. Madden prepared to discharge a thirteen-inch gun in the direction of the machine and discovered at the last moment that his only ammunition was a 22-caliber squirrel cartridge.

It is noticeable that the men who are jeering Mr. Bryan for going to war are men who for family or business reasons cannot find it convenient to do any war-seeking themselves.

The man who could not go away to the war ought to feel the more responsibility in the matter of keeping the wolf at a wide distance from the door of the family of the man who could and did go.

We didn't start in on this as a war of conquest, but when it fairly rains islands what fighting nation could be expected to put up an umbrella?

The one prodigious fact that must appeal with force to everybody is that the Key West censor is a man who knows his business from the ground up.

In spite of all reports to the contrary we don't believe Germany intends to dispute with the umpire at Manila.

The Dreyer trial and the invasion of Cuba are moving forward with the same swift slowness.

The medical profession considers Dr. Murphy a very Hobson of a fellow.

FOUND LONG LOST BROTHER.

Accidentally Meets Him in a Barber Shop After a Separation of 19 Years.
L. R. Howell, of Minneapolis, who recently paid a visit to the Pacific coast and passed through Denver on his way home, was rewarded for stopping here by finding a long-lost brother. Frank Howell, who runs a barber shop in Arapahoe street, is the brother in question. It has been 19 years since the brothers have seen each other, and the last heard from Frank Howell by his relatives was in 1887, when he was following his occupation in Las Vegas, N. M. Mr. Howell, from Minneapolis, in the course of his wanderings, dropped into the barber shop on Arapahoe street to be shaved. Before he entered the shop he noticed the name "Howell" above the door, and while the barber was spluttering his face he looked up at the barber who had undertaken the shaving of him, and remarked on the similarity of the name above the door and his own. "Yes," said the barber, "my name is Howell."
"What is your first name?" asked the customer in the chair.
"Frank Howell, and I came from Greenville, Mich.," said the barber.

The man in the chair sat bolt upright, and, turning around, stared the barber in the face. At the same moment signs of recognition beamed forth in the faces of both. They were brothers, who had not seen each other for 19 years, and no wonder they did not recognize at first. The shave was finished, but during its progress there was time to find out the reasons why Frank Howell had been so long separated from his own people. Early in the year 1887 he was living at Las Vegas and was hearing regularly from his folks at Greenville, Mich. He decided to move to a new city, and did so. He wrote his folks from there, but never received an answer to his letter. His folks moved out of Greenville at the same time he left Las Vegas, and the letters which were written failed to connect at either end. Search has been prosecuted for the lost brother to no avail, and he had also endeavored to find out the whereabouts of his family. Howell left for Minneapolis bearing the glad news to his parents that the lost boy had been found.—Denver News.

NEW POSTAGE STAMPS.

Artistic Designs Issued for New Zealand

A new set of postage stamps has just been issued by the New Zealand government. They are printed in the softest color, and are a credit to the enterprise of the colony.

The special interest of the fresh issue is that they depict the scenery and characteristic products of the country, a feature which so many philatelists and others desire to see done on our own stamps.

The halfpenny stamp contains a picture of Aorangi or Mount Cook, the highest peak in New Zealand. The five shilling stamp also gives a larger and more beautiful representation of that same mountain. The scene on the penny stamp is a view across Lake Taupo, the largest lake in the north island, together with the active volcanoes of Tongariro and Ngauruhoe, which rise near it. The twopenny and two shilling stamps both give the view of the famous mountains and fiords of southwestern New Zealand.

The blue 2½ penny stamp, which so long as the present postal rates continue is likely to be that most often seen in England, represents the southern end of Lake Wakatipu, in the south island, and the snowy heights of Mount Earnslaw rising beyond it. The twopenny and ninepenny stamps attempt to depict the pink and white terraces destroyed in the eruption of 1885. The fivepenny is intended to be a presentation of the lovely Otago gorges, the principal pass across the southern Alps.

The design of the threepenny stamp gives a pair of the sacred hula birds, the fathers of which were worn in the hair of the Maori chiefs alone. On the sixpenny stamp appears the well-known apterix or kiwi, and on the one shilling an exceedingly well-executed pair of penguins, the wild hawke-like parrot of the New Zealand forest. A Maori war canoe is figured on the eightpenny stamp, surrounded by the fronds of a tree fern and other foliage.—London Mail.

Her Bright Scheme

Mrs. Youngbride—How did your breakfast suit you this morning, my darling?

Mr. Youngbride—Just right. I tell you, Annie, it may be plebian, but I'm awfully fond of calf's liver.

Mrs. Youngbride—My dear! Don't you think, George, it would be nice and economical to keep a calf? Then we could have calf's liver for breakfast every morning.—Leisure Hours.

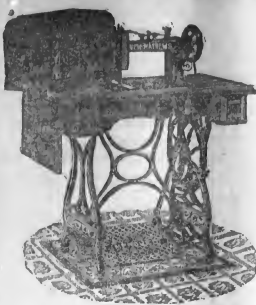
A Foolish Proposition.

"What do you think of a man who will parade around with a military company in time of peace and then resign when war breaks out?"

"Now, what's the use of supposing such a case? No real man ever did that."—Chicago Daily News.

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The Bearings—Are all steel, well fitted and adjustable.
Self-threading—The machine is self-threading, and no hole to put the thread through, except the eye of the needle.
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BANKERS DEFINE

The New Law—Give Notice of War Taxes.

Warning as to Issuance of Checks—Customers Must Assume Their Share of the Burden.

Many of the banks have begun a campaign of education for the benefit of their customers and correspondents, preliminary to the operation of that portion of the war revenue law which applies to banking transactions. Some confusion is expected from the first enforcement of the adhesive-stamp tax provisions, but with a view to reducing such friction to a minimum several institutions are issuing circulars, calling attention to the chief features, particularly the issuance of checks and drafts. The following from one national bank will serve as a sample of the list:

To Our Customers: We desire to draw your attention to the fact that part of the new war-revenue act which requires the use and cancellation of adhesive stamps on checks and other like documents will go into effect on and after July 1, 1898. It is necessary, therefore, that all your checks drawn on and after that date shall bear a 2-cent internal-revenue stamp, which you must cancel at the time of attaching by writing thereon the initials of your name, with the date of attaching the stamp. It is a serious misdemeanor under the law to omit this—designated, at least—for which punishment by fine is provided; and, moreover, checks, etc., issued without being thus stamped are not admissible in evidence in court.

"We send you this circular merely as a reminder, and in the hope that it may serve to some extent to prevent the trouble sure to result from omissions through oversight or misinformation of this new requirement of the law.

"Arrangements for the sale of stamps have not yet been perfected by the government. We hope to be able to sell these stamps to such of our customers as may find it convenient to buy their stamps of us."

The assumption is that the law will become effective on July 1, in accordance with its terms as passed by both houses and signed by the president; but secretary Gage has made a suggestion to congress that the adhesive-stamp provisions be modified to become effective on July 15, on account of the difficulty of preparing sufficient stamps to carry on business before that date. Latest Washington advices, however, state that the department will be able to meet all demands on July 1, except for 1-cent stamps.

The above circular indicates the

determination on the part of the banks to have customers understand that they must bear their share of the burden of the war expenses. Business in some financial quarters has been reduced by competition to a basis where banks transact much business without charge, the acceptance of collections at par being an instance, and customers seem possessed with an idea that a bank is a public convenience instead of a financial agent. To assume the obligation of taxes upon business passing through it would be to make serious inroads into the profits of the most prosperous institution. Estimates of the officials of some of the large institutions vary as to the amount of revenue resulting from their transactions from \$50,000 to \$150,000, according to the nature and size of their business. This means from 2% to 7% per cent on a capital of \$2,000,000. The law provides that the drawer of a check shall affix the stamp at once, and the purchaser of a draft or a bill of foreign exchange or letter of credit will be required to reimburse the bank for the tax in addition to the present rate of exchange charged on such documents.

As indicated in the circular, most of the banks will carry stocks of stamps to sell to their customers. In time checks will be printed under government supervision with the stamp included in the engraving. The banks will sell check books to their customers for the cost of the stamps, whereby they have had the custom of giving them away. Where it is allowed by law, some institutions will prefer to accommodate their customers by accepting the task, affixing the stamps and charging them regularly on account.

It will be well for those who are preparing to use ordinary postage stamps in the payment of war taxes to know that ordinary stamps will not be accepted. As the bureau of engraving and printing, running a full force night and day, could not prepare a sufficient supply of adhesive stamps to meet the requirements of the law, the secretary of the treasury has decided to utilize a large reserve supply of blue 1-cent postage stamps for that purpose, just as the stock of old revenue stamps was imprudently for the payment of taxes that became operative the day after the bill became a law. These postage stamps will bear the initials "I. R." to indicate that they are used for internal revenue purposes, and will be used in addition to the new adhesive stamps, which will be supplied in limited quantities until a reserve supply has been accumulated sufficient to meet all demands. Then the use of the postage stamps will be discontinued.—Chicago Record.

Remember the Plaine

Place to get your fine Merchant Tailoring is by Powright. Pants made for \$3, \$5, \$7, and Suits \$14, \$15, \$20.

DR. W. M. FUQUA,

Sketch and Distinguished Physician and Army Surgeon.

The appointment of Dr. Wm. M. Fuqua, of this city, as Surgeon of the Tenth U. S. Infantry is a just tribute to his eminent ability as a Surgeon and does credit to the department.

Dr. Fuqua was born in Charlotte county, Va., Jan. 16, 1838, and is the only appointee beyond the age, prescribed by the War Department. He attended medical lectures at the University of Virginia and at Richmond college, graduating from the latter in March 1859.

He first located in Richmond, Va., and in 1861 was appointed, Assistant Surgeon in the C. S. army and assigned to duty in the famous Libby Prison Hospital, at Richmond, Va., where he remained until 1862, when he was made Surgeon, serving with the armies of Virginia and Tennessee until the close of the war. In 1868, he settled in this city, and at once engaged in a large surgical practice, and became a liberal contributor to the various medical journals. In 1884 he was elected to the Chair of Anatomy in the Hospital Medical College of Memphis, which he resigned in 1887 on account of ill health. He is a member of quite a number of medical societies, beside the Filson club (historical society of Kentucky,) and the Polytechnic Institute of Louisville. Many of his surgical operations have been reported in the various medical journals of the country. Dr. Fuqua is always dignified in appearance and is a gentleman of the most polished manners.

House Party of Little Girls.

Several of the "future belles," of Hopkinsville, went out to Pembroke this afternoon to spend a week at a house party at Mr. Smith's. They expect to have lots of fun. In the party were Misses Jean McKee, Jean Goldthwaite, Tillie Moore, Rosalie Green, Mollie Garnett and Mary Anderson.

Young Folks Have a Party.

Miss Norma West entertained about two dozen of her young friends at the residence of her father, Mr. R. F. West, on Virginia street, last evening. Elegant refreshments were served and the evening throughout was very enjoyable.

Unrecorded Deeds.

There are about 150 unrecorded deeds in the county clerk's office. On and after July 1st an extra tax of 50 cents each will have to be paid for recording.

Shipping Beef Cattle.

Messrs. J. W. Chestnut & Co., of Trenton, shipped two car loads of fine beef cattle to Louisville to-day. They will make another shipment of fat cattle and hogs the first of next week.

DIED FROM BURNS.

Injuries Received Jan. 25 Cause a Little Girl's Death.

Lella Faughan, a little 12-year-old daughter of Mr. E. W. Faughan, died near Pilot Rock last night from injuries received last January, by catching her clothes on fire from an open grate. She never recovered from the severe burns, but had been a great sufferer ever since. She was a bright little girl, the grand-daughter of Mr. John Forbes. The burial took place to-day at the Ralston burying ground in the same neighborhood.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. L. W. Gaines, of Elkton, is in the city.

Mrs. Mary Oncle, of Evansville, is visiting the family of Mr. Joe. D. Higgins. Mrs. Oncle formerly lived in this city.

Mrs. Robert T. Daniel left Wednesday for Hopkinsville where she will remain for several weeks.—Trenton Democrat.

Miss Ida Greer, who taught music in the Auburn Seminary last season, visited Miss Nannie Chick last week. She goes to Hopkinsville, where she will teach music in Bethel Female College.—Russellville Herald-Ledger.

Mesdames F. J. Brownell, Mary A. Morton and J. B. Richards, and Misses Katie McDaniel, Mary Hille and Mary Jessie Brownell left this morning for Franklin, Ky., to attend a missionary meeting.

HERE AND THERE.

C. H. Layne has a nice pony for sale. 6-21dtf

WANTED—To buy a load of Clover Hay, apply at this office.

Two Jersey cows with calves, for sale. R. W. WARE.

More than 200 dogs have been killed in Owensboro under the dog-poisoning ordinance.

Rev. S. N. Vail wishes to sell his fine family mare, with buggy, will dispose of her at a bargain. Perfectly safe for a lady to drive.

Many handsome new rubber-tried traps are appearing on the streets. Most of them are being turned out by the local manufacturers.

Mr. W. E. Bradley and Miss Mina Murphy were married at the residence of Milton Jackson, on Blackman street, South Clarksville, at 8 o'clock last evening. Rev. W. J. Miller, of Trinity church, officiating.—Times.

The delay of two months in invading Cuba has made its conquest all the more difficult. Much of the blood being spilled may be charged up to the do-nothing policy at Washington.

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At the Churches.

All of the churches to-morrow will hold the regular morning services. At night the four Christian Endeavor churches will not hold evening services, but unite in an Endeavor rally at the Christian church.

Hopkinsville Gas & Lighting Co.

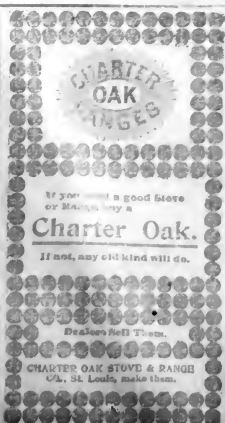
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To intending consumers: We respectfully call your attention to the fact that our liberal offer of 50 feet of service pipe and free ditching will shortly be withdrawn. It is to your interest to put in your application before July 1st, and receive this absolutely free gift. Also the use of a gas range for 30 days; free of charge, which can be purchased at absolutely cost price. Gas for fuel purposes \$1.25 per 1,000, fuel and light \$1.50, illuminating exclusively \$2.00. Apply to A. PATTON, Manager, Howe Bldg.; Main St. 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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